

OBITUARY

Donald L. Ledbetter

Plymouth, Wash.
April 28, 1942 - March 12, 2018

Donald L. Ledbetter was born April 28, 1942, in Archey, Arkansas, the son of Emmitt and Cleo (Hooper) Ledbetter. He died on March 12, 2018, at his home in Plymouth, Wash., at the age of 75.



Ledbetter

At the age of six, Don moved with his family to Kimberly, Idaho, where he attended school and graduated from high school in 1960. After high school, he served in the Idaho National Guard from 1960 through 1964.



Don owned a small trucking business and worked in construction before beginning his career in the potato business. His first job was with J.R. Simplot in Burley, Idaho. He then moved to Prince Edward Island, Canada, in 1976 and worked in the potato industry in Canada for eight years. He moved back to the U.S. in the mid-1980s and worked for Lamb Weston in the Boardman and Hermiston areas. He retired from Lamb Weston in 2005. He resided in Plymouth, Wash., for the past 10 years.

Don enjoyed hunting, fishing, gardening, tinkering with cars, construction projects and was an avid sports enthusiast. He was a lifelong member of the Elks Lodge in Jerome, Idaho, and a life member of the NRA. He loved his grandkids dearly, was known by them as "Papa Don" and enjoyed going to all their sports events and birthdays.

Don married Sandra Rupert in Jerome, Idaho, on September 1, 1962.

He is survived by his wife of 55 years, Sandra; sons Danny (Ellen) Ledbetter of Indiana and Mike (Stacey) Ledbetter of Hermiston; daughter Wendy (Gene) Garrett of Plymouth, Washington; five sisters, Rose, Ruth, Sadie, Iris and Mary; 11 grandchildren, and eight great-grandchildren.

A memorial service will be held at 3 p.m. on Saturday, March 17, 2018, at Burns Mortuary chapel, Hermiston, Oregon.

Please sign the online condolence book at burnsmortuaryhermiston.com.

Carol Krause

Stanfield
December 28, 1928 - March 19, 2018

Carol Krause was born December 28, 1928, in Concord, California, the daughter of Joseph and Ada Mabel (Nitcher) Corliss. She died on Monday, March 19, 2018, at her home in Stanfield at the age of 89.



Krause

Carol moved to Oregon with her family, who settled into the Westland area near Hermiston. She attended Hermiston schools and graduated from Hermiston High School in the class of 1946. After high school, she attended nursing school at St. Anthony's Hospital in Pendleton.

Carol married Karl David Krause in Ontario, Oregon, on February 12, 1949. The couple made their home in Stanfield where she has resided since. In addition to her work as a homemaker, Carol also helped keep books for her husband Karl's automotive business, City Motor Services.

Carol was a member of the Stanfield Garden Club and a longtime active member of Crossroads Community Church in Stanfield. She also enjoyed growing flowers, especially her roses.

She was preceded in death by her husband Karl in 2004, and her son Donald in 2010.

She is survived by a brother, Glen Corliss; grandsons Jeremy and Jason Krause; nieces Carolyn Stiefel, Jackie Lucas and Marilyn Shilhanek; nephew Joseph (Kelly Hale) Corliss; and many extended family members.

A memorial service will be at 1 p.m. Saturday, March 24, 2018, at Crossroads Community Church. A private family interment was in Hermiston Cemetery.

Family suggest memorial donations to Crossroads Community Church, 350 N. Sherman St., Stanfield, OR 97875 or to Vange John Memorial Hospice, 645 W. Orchard Ave. #300, Hermiston, OR 97838.

To leave an online condolence for the family go to www.burnsmortuaryhermiston.com.

DEATHS

Evan E. Davis

Nyssa
April 2, 1951 - March 14, 2018

Former Hermiston resident Evan E. Davis, 66, of Nyssa died Wednesday, March 14, 2018. He was born April 2, 1951, in The Dalles. A celebration of life will be held Wednesday, March 28 at 1 p.m. (Mountain time) at the Seventh-day Adventist Church in Parma, Idaho. Lunch will follow the service.

Dale T. Ingle

Hermiston
Sept. 28, 1926 - March 14, 2018

Dale T. Ingle, 91, of Hermiston died Wednesday, March 14, 2018, in Hermiston. He was born Sept. 28, 1926, in Mt. Vernon, Ore. Burns Mortuary of Pendleton is in charge of arrangements. Sign the online condolence book at www.burnsmortuary.com.

Julia K. Ramirez

Irrigon
Dec. 30, 1950 - March 15, 2018

Julia K. Ramirez, 67, of Irrigon died Thursday, March 15, 2018, in Kennewick, Wash. She was born Dec. 30, 1950, in Bend. A private family gathering will be held. Burns Mortuary of Hermiston is in care of arrangements. Sign the online condolence book at burnsmortuaryhermiston.com.

Melvin R. "Mel" Tompkins

Hermiston
April 8, 1940 - March 12, 2018

Melvin R. "Mel" Tompkins, 77, died Monday, March 12, 2018, at his home in Hermiston. He was born April 8, 1940, in Deary, Idaho. Services are pending. Arrangements are with Burns Mortuary of Hermiston. Sign the online condolence book at www.burnsmortuaryhermiston.com.

POLICE LOG

TUESDAY, MARCH 13

12:59 a.m. — On North First Street, Hermiston, a woman called 911 and hung up. Upon calling back, she said she was an officer's daughter and was highly drunk.
11:54 a.m. — At West Fulton Avenue, Hermiston, a caller said he thinks his roommate stole two TVs last Friday.
1:09 p.m. — A woman reported at the Hermiston Police Department that she was worried about her ex-boyfriend stalking her.
6:45 p.m. — On Northeast 10th Street, a 13 year-old boy was bitten in the face by a Husky that lives in the park.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 14

6:14 p.m. — At Northeast Sixth Street and East Ridgeway Avenue, a dog chased and bit a man on his legs near Eastside Market. He said the dog was large and light brown, possibly a boxer.
8:44 p.m. — A caller on Southwest Desert Oak Drive reported a runaway.
11:07 p.m. — Someone reported thirdhand to the Hermiston Police Department that a woman was being hit by her husband on West Hermiston Avenue. The caller said they didn't know if there were weapons present.

THURSDAY, MARCH 15

4:22 p.m. — On West Brock Avenue, Hermiston, two people in a silver Ford Escape were checking mailboxes. One was a white female with blond hair.
6:52 p.m. — A blue Ford Taurus was following a male in Victory Square Park, on Southwest 10th Street in Hermiston.
7:50 p.m. — A male was reported driving a silver four-door Pontiac while intoxicated, at North First Street, Hermiston.

FRIDAY, MARCH 16

12:30 a.m. — A runaway was reported at Southwest Desert Oak Drive, Hermiston.

4:53 p.m. — An armed subject was reported at Northwest 13th Street and West Madrona Avenue, Hermiston.

5:12 p.m. — An assault was reported at West Highland Avenue, Hermiston.

9:28 p.m. — A suicidal subject was reported at West Joseph Avenue, Hermiston.

11:10 p.m. — A suicidal subject was reported at East Francolin Avenue, Hermiston.

SATURDAY, MARCH 17

11:44 a.m. — A person on North First Street, Hermiston, was issued a warning for a vicious dog.

SUNDAY, MARCH 18

2:56 p.m. — A man said his wife, who is suicidal, left South Edwards Road and East Highland Extension driving erratically. He said she was driving a white Toyota Camry.

3:12 p.m. — A runaway was reported at Northeast 10th Street, Hermiston.

4:19 p.m. — A suicidal subject was reported at Southeast Banker Drive, Hermiston.

10:32 p.m. — A suicidal subject was reported at Northeast Aspen Drive, Hermiston.

MONDAY, MARCH 19

11:24 a.m. — A caller said his wife's bow was stolen out of the back of her pickup truck last night, on West Orchard Avenue. He said it is worth about \$1,000.

2:03 p.m. — A caller on East Gladys Avenue said someone broke into her car and stole her purse.

3:43 p.m. — A caller reported that someone at Mid-Columbia Bus Company on East Airport Road is writing checks to themselves from an account that MidCo employees have for \$2,500.

4:20 p.m. — A caller said his daughter was threatened by two boys from her class while walking home today, on East Ridgeway Avenue.

Man arrested allegedly holding a knife to stranger's throat

HERMISTON HERALD

A man was arrested in Hermiston for menacing after allegedly putting a knife to the throat of another man.

William Joshua Young, 42 was lodged in the Umatilla County Jail after an incident Friday.

According to information released on the Hermiston Police Department's Facebook page, at about 4:40 p.m. on Friday two men, ages 26 and 27, reported that they had been together on the Oxbow Trail when they came across Young sitting along the trail with his dog consuming alcohol. Neither of them reported knowing him previously.

They claimed that Young had made statements that sounded irrational and paranoid and that he allegedly

pulled out a folding knife and held it to the throat of one of the men while saying he intended to kill someone.

"As the victim male pushed the knife away from his own throat, he received a very minor cut to one of his fingers that did not require medical attention. The men were eventually able to get away from Young when he was distracted by a jogger in the area," Lt. Randy Studebaker wrote.

Officers responded and were not able to locate Young, but later took him into custody at his residence for menacing and an unrelated warrant for his arrest out of Jackson County. Police said it appeared to be an isolated incident, and that more charges were possible as the investigation continued.



Young

Woman faces charges 15 counts of theft from former employer

HERMISTON HERALD

A big theft hit another small local business.

Allison Jade Heyne of Hermiston pleaded not guilty in early March to accusations she stole more than \$32,000 from her employer, Eclipse Heating and Cooling.

Ty Zeller, co-owner of the Hermiston business, said Heyne worked in the front office and the theft total is probably closer to \$38,000 — and the damages could increase.

"We don't want this to happen to someone else," he said.

Umatilla County Circuit Court records show a grand jury on Jan. 30 indicted Heyne, 31, AKA Allison Heller, on two counts of first-degree aggravated theft for stealing \$10,000 or more on two occasions, 12 counts of first-degree theft for separate acts of stealing \$1,000

or more, and one count of second-degree theft for stealing at least \$100. The indictment alleges Heyne committed the thefts from June 2016 through May 2017.

Heyne pleaded not guilty to all counts at her arraignment March 5, according to court records.

Zeller said the business discovered the crimes last June, right as they were hustling to keep up with rising temperatures. Making a go as a small business is tough enough, he said, and this situation "kind of took the wind out of our sails."

Heyne signed an agreement to follow certain restrictions to avoid jail, including not having contact with Eclipse Heating and Cooling. The court found she was not eligible for a public defender. The next hearing in the case is the afternoon of March 26 in the Hermiston courtroom of Circuit Court Judge Dan Hill.



Heyne

BIRTHS

Good Shepherd Medical Center, Hermiston

MARCH 7, 2018

WILSON — Danyell D. Sowell and Tucker Wilson of Hermiston: a girl, Alayah Russalee Dove Wilson.

MARCH 8, 2018

MCCULLOUGH — Ashton N. Marshall and Austin J. McCullough of Umatilla: a girl, Kyree Nicole McCullough.

MARCH 11, 2018

SALAS — Carol Corona and David Carrillo Salas of Hermiston: a girl, Adeline Salas.

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SENTENCES

PENDLETON — The following sentences have been imposed in Umatilla County courts:

FELONY

•Hector Elias Guerra, 35, Hermiston, pleaded guilty to Possession of Methamphetamine: sentenced to 2 years probation, 120 sanction units, 60 maximum jail units, 80 hours community service, \$200 fine and 6 months driver's license suspension; pleaded guilty to Interfering With Peace/Parole/Probation Officer: sentenced to 120 days jail; pleaded guilty to two counts of Failure to Appear I: sentenced to 2 years probation, 120 sanction units, 60 maximum jail units and 80 hours community service for each count, and \$200 fine.

•Florencio Garcia Quezada, 28, Hermiston, pleaded guilty to Burglary I: sentenced to 60 months Oregon DOC, 3 years post-prison supervision and \$1,000 fine-suspended, plus restitution to be determined; pleaded guilty to Theft II: sentence to discharge.

•Vincent Wesley David Sherman-tine, 29, Hermiston, pleaded guilty to Unlawful Manufacture of Marijuana Item: sentenced to 2 years probation, 120 sanction units, 60 maximum jail units, 160 hours community service, \$500 fine, \$2,000 fine-suspended and 6 months driver's license suspension.

•Kevin Edward Verwey, 30, Hermiston, pleaded guilty to Assault IV-domestic violence: sentenced to 3 years probation, 180 sanction units, 90 maximum jail units and \$200 fine; pleaded guilty to Unlawfully Purchasing Firearm: sentenced to 3 years probation, 160 hours community service and \$100 fine.

MISDEMEANOR

•Kimberly Mae Langlois, 29, Umatilla, pleaded guilty to DUII: sentenced to 30 days jail, 150 days jail-suspended, 2 years probation, 80 hours community service, \$1,250 fine, \$1,505 fine-suspended and 1 year driver's license suspension, plus court costs and fees.

•Jose Antonio Avila, 59, Hermiston, was convicted of DUII: sentenced to 30 days jail, 150 days jail-sus-

pending, 3 years probation, \$1,755 fine, \$1,500 fine-suspended and 1 year driver's license suspension, plus court costs and fees; was convicted of Reckless Driving: sentenced to 180 days jail-suspended, 3 years probation, \$100 fine, \$1,900 fine-suspended and 90 days driver's license suspension.

•Juan Jose Pacheco, 27, Hermiston, pleaded guilty to DUII: sentenced to 30 days jail, 150 days jail-suspended, 3 years probation, 80 hours community service, \$2,255 fine, \$1,000 fine-suspended and 1 year driver's license suspension, plus court costs and fees; pleaded guilty to Reckless Driving: sentenced to 180 days jail-suspended, 3 years probation, \$100 fine, \$2,900 fine-suspended and 90 days driver's license suspension.

SUITS FILED

PENDLETON — The following suits have been filed in Umatilla County courts (interest, court costs and fees not listed):

- Capital One Bank vs. Christine E. Pease: seeks \$1,653.91.
- Capital One Bank vs. Doria K. Sasser: seeks \$4,979.60.
- Midland Funding LLC vs. Lora Burns: seeks \$1,556.78.
- Evergreen Financial Services Inc. vs. Brandon Castro of Stanfield: seeks \$276.02.
- JH Portfolio Debt Equities LLC vs. Kenneth Albertson: seeks \$3,584.
- Capital One Bank vs. Tara Jonson: seeks \$2,096.88.
- Capital One Bank vs. Ted L. Ruffy: seeks \$2,413.81.
- Capital One Bank vs. Cassandra J. Franklin: seeks \$2,124.57.
- Capital One Bank vs. Dean Graves: seeks \$5,092.95.
- Capital One Bank vs. Christopher Grimaldi: seeks \$3,254.58.
- Capital One Bank vs. John F. Vlahos Jr.: seeks \$4,096.90.
- Capital One Bank vs. Karissa R. Whitmore: seeks \$4,155.63.
- Capital One Bank vs. Doria K. Sasser: seeks \$2,906.02.
- Capital One Bank vs. Tyray Randle: seeks \$2,751.04.
- Capital One Bank vs. Kelly A. Skramstad: seeks \$4,874.99.
- Capital One Bank vs. Jennifer

- Allen: seeks \$1,506.34.
- Capital One Bank vs. Bruce G. Carson Jr.: seeks \$2,650.85.
- Capital One Bank vs. Debi Hasler: seeks \$1,647.
- Capital One Bank vs. Leslie Little: seeks \$3,799.39.
- Capital One Bank vs. Elizabeth C. Morris: seeks \$1,829.17.
- Capital One Bank vs. Robert Markwick: seeks \$1,577.30.
- Capital One Bank vs. Nicole B. Fetter: seeks \$2,791.33.
- Midland Funding LLC vs. Benjamin Boyle: seeks \$2,078.37.
- Midland Funding LLC vs. Linda Cameron: seeks \$986.53.
- Midland Funding LLC vs. Peggy Wallingford: seeks \$830.44.
- Capital One Bank vs. Ryan Kettler: seeks \$5,647.68.
- Capital One Bank vs. Sarah A. Harmon: seeks \$2,724.84.
- Capital One Bank vs. Bonnie M. Matlack: seeks \$2,435.74.
- Midland Funding LLC vs. Auston Shaffer: seeks \$1,239.61.
- Midland Funding LLC vs. Angela Turner: seeks \$824.67.
- Barclays Bank Delaware vs. Aida A. Guillen of Umatilla: seeks \$1,542.69.
- Clifford Leroy Martin vs. Karen Connell: seeks \$845,500.
- Capital One Bank vs. Dean W. Murphy: seeks \$2,424.78 and \$5,982.26 in separate suits.
- OneMain Financial Services Inc. vs. Daryan A. Lewis: seeks \$4,250.10.
- Credits Inc. vs. Justin Boyd of Hermiston: seeks \$722.86.
- Credits Inc. vs. Chadd Everett Mace of Hermiston: seeks \$1,939.94.
- Credits Inc. vs. Crista Jaime (Sanchez) of Hermiston: seeks \$3,147.76.
- Credits Inc. vs. Jerad and Katherine R. Uzzell of Hermiston: seeks \$6,253.37.
- Credits Inc. vs. Alyna Micaela Acevedo of Hermiston: seeks \$466.97.
- Credits Inc. vs. John G. and Karan L. Piening of Hermiston: seeks \$488.94.
- Credits Inc. vs. Teofilo Ruiz Castaneda and Celina Gomez Ruiz of Hermiston: seeks \$894.11.
- Credits Inc. vs. Shannon A. Powell

- of Echo: seeks \$6,228.61.
- Capital One Bank vs. Thomas E. Wells: seeks \$3,397.27.
- Capital One Bank vs. Gordon A. Giger: seeks \$14,700.37.

JUDGMENTS

PENDLETON — The following judgments have been rendered in Umatilla County courts (interest, court costs and fees not listed):

- Midland Funding LLC vs. Juan Santanarivera of Hermiston: judgment for \$1,295.54.
- Credits Inc. vs. Scott F. and Amanda L. Clawson of Hermiston: judgment for \$785.35.
- Credits Inc. vs. Brandon M. Piper of Hermiston: judgment for \$735.52.
- Credits Inc. vs. Bonnie L. and Frank A. Brandin Jr. of Hermiston: judgment for \$4,412.75.
- Capital One Bank vs. Jennifer Baldwin of Hermiston: judgment for \$1,606.23.
- Quick Collect Inc. vs. Bonnie Matlack of Umatilla: judgment for \$1,313.31.
- Credits Inc. vs. Rebekah and Daron Comstock of Heppner: judgment for \$4,782.47.
- Capital One Bank vs. James W. Leonard of Hermiston: judgment for \$2,020.24.
- Evergreen Financial Services Inc. vs. Anthony Moore of Hermiston: judgment for \$4,036.98.
- Evergreen Financial Services Inc. vs. Kimberly Welker of Hermiston: judgment for \$5,080.27.
- Credits Inc. vs. Socorro Politron and Veronica Moncivais of Umatilla: judgment for \$4,285.55.
- Midland Funding LLC vs. Teonna Raymond of Hermiston: judgment for \$778.46.

DIVORCES

PENDLETON — Divorce decrees were signed in Umatilla County Courts for:

- Bradley Ray Lindley and Vanessa Marie Lindley of Hermiston; Maria D. Lopez and Placido Lopez-Sendejas of Hermiston; Jeremiah Jacob Brooks and Britney Leann Brooks of Hermiston.